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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Corrielus:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 11, 2008, having a shortened statutory period expiring on November 11, 2008. The two-month date for response was October 11, 2008, which was a Saturday, and the following Monday, October 13, 2008 was a Federal Holiday. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are presented beginning on page 2 of this paper.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.